



## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As the inventor(s) named below, I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to the attached application entitled  
Precoat filter cartridge, precoat cartridge filter and use of a filter  
cartridge

I/we believe I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the  
subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-  
identified specification, including the claims thereof, as amended by  
any amendment specifically referred to above;

I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent  
and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to  
patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material  
information which became available between the filing date of the  
prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of  
the continuation-in-part application, if applicable; and;

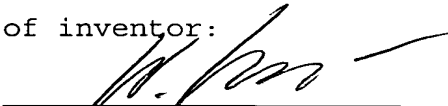
All statements made herein of my/our own knowledge are true, all  
statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and  
further that these statements are made with the knowledge that the  
making of willful false statements or the like is punishable by fine  
or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the  
validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: I/we hereby appoint Charles Winston Fallow,  
Reg. No. 28,946 as my/our attorney to prosecute this application and  
to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected  
therewith.

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